

**MINUTES OF THE
HOUSE TRANSPORTATION
STANDING COMMITTEE**

Wednesday, February 1, 2017 • 4:00 pm • 450 State Capitol

Members Present:

Rep. Mike Schultz, Chair
Rep. Kay J. Christofferson, Vice Chair
Rep. Walt Brooks
Rep. Justin L. Fawson
Rep. Lynn N. Hemingway
Rep. Michael S. Kennedy
Rep. John Knotwell
Rep. Karen Kwan

Rep. Jefferson Moss
Rep. Val K. Potter
Rep. Robert M. Spendlove
Rep. John R. Westwood

Staff Present:

Mr. Alex R. Janak, Policy Analyst
Ms. Wendy Hill, Committee Secretary

Note: A list of others present, a copy of related materials, and an audio recording of the meeting can be found at le.utah.gov.

Vice Chair Christofferson called the meeting to order at 4:02 p.m.

Chair Schultz discussed Utah transportation issues.

Mr. Dave Millheim, City Manager, Farmington commented on topics from the January 31, 2017 meeting.

1. H.B. 152 Transportation Funding Revisions (*Sandall, S.*)

Rep. Sandall explained the bill with the assistance of Mr. Lincoln Shurtz, Governmental Affairs Director, Utah Association of Counties and Ms. Linda Hull, Policy and Legislative Affairs Director, Utah Department of Transportation.

Mr. Cameron Diehl, Director of Government Relations, Utah League of Cities and Towns, spoke in favor of the bill.

Mr. Lincoln Shurtz, Governmental Affairs Director, Utah Association of Counties spoke in favor of the bill.

MOTION: Rep. Westwood moved to amend H.B. 152 with Amendment #1.

1. Page 1, Lines 13 through 15:

- 13 ▶ authorizes money in the Local Highway and Transportation Corridor
Preservation
14 Fund to be used for construction, maintenance, and operation of class B and class C
15 roads or survey monument restoration or repair with limitations in a county of
the third, fourth, fifth, or sixth class ; and

2. Page 17, Line 521 through Page 18, Line 524:

- 521 (g) (i) Subject to the restrictions in Subsections (5)(g)(ii) and (iii), fund money may
be
522 used by a county of the third, fourth, fifth, or sixth class or by a city or town
within a county of the third, fourth, fifth, or sixth class for :
 (A) the construction, operation, or maintenance of a { :
523 ~~—(A)—~~ } class B road } :
524 { ~~—(B)—~~ class C road } :
 (B) the restoration or repair of a survey monument associated with
transportation infrastructure :

The motion passed with a vote of 9-1-2.

Yeas:

Rep. W. Brooks
Rep. K. Christofferson
Rep. L. Hemingway
Rep. J. Knotwell
Rep. K. Kwan
Rep. J. Moss
Rep. V. Potter
Rep. M. Schultz
Rep. J. Westwood

Nays:

Rep. J. Fawson

Abs:

Rep. M. Kennedy
Rep. R. Spendlove

MOTION: Rep. Schultz moved to pass H.B. 152 as amended out favorably.

SUBSTITUTE MOTION: Vice Chair Christofferson moved to amend H.B. 152 .

MOTION WITHDRAWN: Vice Chair Christofferson withdrew his motion.

MOTION: Rep. Schultz moved to pass H.B. 152 as amended out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 10-1-1.

Yeas:

Rep. W. Brooks
Rep. K. Christofferson
Rep. J. Fawson
Rep. L. Hemingway
Rep. M. Kennedy
Rep. K. Kwan
Rep. J. Moss
Rep. V. Potter
Rep. M. Schultz
Rep. J. Westwood

Nays:

Rep. J. Knotwell

Abs:

Rep. R. Spendlove

2. H.B. 210 Flashing Brake Light Revisions (*Handy, S.*)

Rep. Handy explained the bill with the assistance of Mr. Chadwick Fairbanks, Owner, Bridge of the Gap LLC.

MOTION: Rep. Westwood moved to pass H.B. 210 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 10-0-2.

Yeas:

Rep. W. Brooks
Rep. K. Christofferson
Rep. L. Hemingway
Rep. M. Kennedy
Rep. J. Knotwell
Rep. K. Kwan
Rep. J. Moss
Rep. V. Potter
Rep. M. Schultz
Rep. J. Westwood

Nays:

Abs:

Rep. J. Fawson
Rep. R. Spendlove

MOTION: Rep. Schultz moved to place H.B. 210 on the Consent Calendar. The motion passed with a vote of 10-0-2.

Yeas:

Rep. W. Brooks
Rep. K. Christofferson
Rep. L. Hemingway
Rep. M. Kennedy
Rep. J. Knotwell
Rep. K. Kwan
Rep. J. Moss
Rep. V. Potter
Rep. M. Schultz
Rep. J. Westwood

Nays:

Abs:

Rep. J. Fawson
Rep. R. Spendlove

3. S.B. 25 Motor Carrier Amendments (*Van Tassell, K.*)

Sen. Van Tassell explained the bill.

MOTION: Rep. Knotwell moved to pass S.B. 25 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 11-0-1.

Yeas:

Rep. W. Brooks
Rep. K. Christofferson
Rep. J. Fawson
Rep. L. Hemingway
Rep. M. Kennedy
Rep. J. Knotwell
Rep. K. Kwan
Rep. J. Moss
Rep. V. Potter
Rep. M. Schultz
Rep. J. Westwood

Nays:

Abs:

Rep. R. Spendlove

4. S.B. 26 Transportation Divisions and Structure Amendments (*Harper, W.*)

Sen. Harper explained the bill.

MOTION: Rep. Westwood moved to pass S.B. 26 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 10-0-2.

Yeas:

Rep. W. Brooks
Rep. K. Christofferson
Rep. J. Fawson
Rep. L. Hemingway
Rep. M. Kennedy
Rep. K. Kwan
Rep. J. Moss
Rep. V. Potter
Rep. M. Schultz
Rep. J. Westwood

Nays:

Abs:

Rep. J. Knotwell
Rep. R. Spendlove

5. S.B. 38 Specialized License Plate Amendments (*Harper, W.*)

Sen. Harper explained the bill.

MOTION: Rep. Fawson moved to pass S.B. 38 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 10-0-2.

Yeas:

Rep. W. Brooks
Rep. K. Christofferson
Rep. J. Fawson
Rep. L. Hemingway
Rep. M. Kennedy
Rep. K. Kwan
Rep. J. Moss
Rep. V. Potter
Rep. M. Schultz
Rep. J. Westwood

Nays:

Abs:

Rep. J. Knotwell
Rep. R. Spendlove

6. S.B. 39 Road Classification Amendments (Harper, W.)

Sen. Harper explained the bill.

MOTION: Rep. Fawson moved to pass S.B. 39 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 10-0-2.

Yeas:

Rep. W. Brooks
Rep. K. Christofferson
Rep. J. Fawson
Rep. L. Hemingway
Rep. M. Kennedy
Rep. K. Kwan
Rep. J. Moss
Rep. V. Potter
Rep. M. Schultz
Rep. J. Westwood

Nays:

Abs:

Rep. J. Knotwell
Rep. R. Spendlove

7. 1st Sub. S.B. 41 State Highway System Amendments (Harper, W.)

Sen. Harper explained the bill.

MOTION: Rep. Moss moved to amend 1st Substitute S.B. 41 with Amendment #1.

3. *Page 1, Line 17:*

17 ▶ creates SR-176 in { ~~Bluffdale~~ Vineyard ; and

4. *Page 3, Line 80:*

80 (6) SR-176 { ~~}:-~~ . From Route 114 westerly on Vineyard Connector to
Main Street in

The motion passed with a vote of 10-0-2.

Yeas:

Rep. W. Brooks
Rep. K. Christofferson
Rep. J. Fawson
Rep. L. Hemingway
Rep. M. Kennedy
Rep. K. Kwan
Rep. J. Moss
Rep. V. Potter
Rep. M. Schultz
Rep. J. Westwood

Nays:

Abs:

Rep. J. Knotwell
Rep. R. Spendlove

MOTION: Rep. Westwood moved to pass 1st Substitute S.B. 41 as amended out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 10-0-2.

Yeas:

Rep. W. Brooks
Rep. K. Christofferson
Rep. J. Fawson
Rep. L. Hemingway
Rep. M. Kennedy
Rep. K. Kwan
Rep. J. Moss
Rep. V. Potter
Rep. M. Schultz
Rep. J. Westwood

Nays:

Abs:

Rep. J. Knotwell
Rep. R. Spendlove

MOTION: Rep. Fawson moved to adjourn. The motion passed with a vote of 10-0-2.

Yeas:

Rep. W. Brooks
Rep. K. Christofferson
Rep. J. Fawson
Rep. L. Hemingway
Rep. M. Kennedy
Rep. K. Kwan
Rep. J. Moss
Rep. V. Potter
Rep. M. Schultz
Rep. J. Westwood

Nays:

Abs:

Rep. J. Knotwell
Rep. R. Spendlove

Vice Chair Christofferson adjourned the meeting at 5:22 p.m.

Rep. Mike Schultz, Chair